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| Chinese Imperial Govt. Silver Loan 1894 D                | Hongkong Shanghai Banking Corporation | \$1,504,700.14 H'kong Currency.  | \$500 H'kong Currency. | 8 % per annum     | 30 June each year until 1896                         | 3 % per            |
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